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NEW RECORD FOR CO-OP. BUSINESS

During the 1945-46 crop year a record number of farmers bought supplies and sold produce co-operatively. It is disclosed in a report just issued by the Economics Division, Dominion Department of Agriculture, in the same period, their volume of co-operative business attained a new record.

Preliminary statistics collected by J. E. O'Meara, who compiled the report gives membership in farmers' co-operatives as 789,408, compared with 739,604 in the 1944-45 crop year. The Division emphasizes that these membership totals are greater than the number of individuals in co-operatives, as a farmer may, and often does, belong to more than one organization.

Further, comparing co-operative activities in the two crop years, the number of farm co-operatives reporting has increased from 1,824 to 1,905, with additional organizations expected to be heard from before a final report is issued. The Division estimates that in addition to these farm co-operatives there are approximately 2,500 credit unions in Canada together with many other associations engaged in such co-operative services as housing, telephone, medical, transportation and fish marketing.

Total business transacted by farm co-ops. in Canada amounted to \$85,545,174 in 1945-46, while \$81,942,462 in 1944-45 crop year. This increase is attributed by Mr. O'Meara to greater co-operative buying of supplies. Co-operative marketing declined because in the latest crop year western wheat pools had only current production to sell, while in the previous year they all disposed of carry-over wheat.

LOCAL NEWS

Cora Hall left this week for Spokane, Washington. Cora has been spending at the Calgary General hospital.

Miss Ruth McCool is in Edmonton this week in attendance at a junior club convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug. Hall were Calgary visitors on Wednesday.

Merlin Stafford is driving a new Nash sedan, and a "Happy" Plymouth is sporting around in a new Plymouth.

Don't forget the Fish and Game Association meeting and pictures in the U.P.A. hall on Tuesday evening June 10th.

Mrs. Hurt, nurse-in-training at the Holy Cross hospital is spending her vacation at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hurt.

The regular monthly meeting of the Floral U. F. W. A. will be held in the United Church parson on Wednesday June 11th at 2:00 p.m. The hostesses will be Mesdames L. Ableman and Ian Laut. Everyone interested will be welcome.

The village got a scare Monday when the fire alarm was sounded late in the afternoon. A small fire at the home of Gabe Anderson was fortunately caught soon enough and was brought under control before much damage was done.

The Crossfield Sports Day Committee have brought the old horse barn from the School Trustees and a water trough are at work moving it onto the north end of the Fair grounds in readiness for the horse races to be held in conjunction with the coming sports.

Rev. J. V. Howey officiated at a christening service at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Heywood on Sunday June 1st, when their two children Kenneth Wayne and Elaine Wild and their nephew Ross Gordon, son of Mr. and Mrs. K. R. McTavish were christened.

Stanley Pope and George Walworth have taken over the lease of the Oliver Cafe from the Walworths.

These two veterans of the last war had had considerable experience in the restaurant business, until recently having been in charge of the Buffalo Hotel Dining rooms at Red Deer.

The recent rains are holding up the finish of the spring seeding, with some farmers still having some barley and green-feed to sow. Some roads are in bad shape but it takes more than a shower or two to dampen the ardor of the average farmer. Right now they will tell you that this is the year for a bumper crop.

A community social evening will be held in the Masonic Hall on Wednesday June 11th in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Collecutt, who have sold their ranch and have moved to Calgary. This is expected to be an old fashioned get-together with a few short speeches and some entertainment. Everyone will be welcome to come and spend an enjoyable evening with their friends and neighbors.

The business at the Village council meeting held on Monday last was mainly of a routine nature. A. J. Stevens was granted a building permit for a garage and C. Calhoun one for a small tool shed. G. Cowley was given the job to stucco the new fire hall and an order was placed with P. Becker for an oil-burning heater. A Court of Revision followed the regular meetings with just one appeal from the recent assessment. This was not granted as the council were of the opinion that it was in line with other assessments.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION
Services (Sunday, June 8th)
Holy Communion at 11 a.m.
Rev. J. M. Roe, rector.

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TIMELY HINTS FOR THE WOMEN

Have you been reading any of these articles about efficiency in housekeeping lately? You know, the kind of article that tries to make you feel like a shot in the arm with a schedule listing housekeeping activities and dividing the day into exactly timed segments of the clock face. Have you resolved to do better and do your housekeeping to jazz time instead of waltz time? Well, just relax girls and let the seconds count where they may. The day was made for living not for jumping through hoops trying to keep to a timetable schedule.

These schedules make fascinating reading and you may find yourself fascinated into imitating them. The trouble with them is that they never take into account the friends who drop in for a visit or the wife who drops calls about committee meetings, the frayed electrical connections, the missing pencils or the brush salesman who wouldn't be brushed off your doorstep.

Housekeeping is form of logistics and military provisioning and you've got to deliver the fuel and ammunition for your home-front, but just remember you aren't fighting any battles and you may find yourself starting some if you frazzle your adherence to split-second schedules.

If you want to substitute honey for sugar in your baked recipes here are some nice rules from a pamphlet put out by the provincial government. In cakes and cookies use 1 cup honey for each cup of sugar. For every cup of honey reduce the liquid in the recipe by 3 tablespoons. Increase the amount of salt about $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon. If there is more than one cup of honey, 1/4 teaspoons of soap may be added for each, as honey is slightly acid. When baking, use slightly lower temperature. Whenever possible add the honey in the last stage of the cooking process. Honey has a tendency to foam and boil over when using it in ecoderies for very sticking. Drop cookies may require a little more flour to prevent spreading.

Strawberry season coming up; M-M-M, very good! Shortcake and stuff and things and sliced strawberry jam $\frac{1}{2}$ instance.

Recipe for same: Crush 2 quarts of washed and hulled strawberries with a potato masher in a large saucepan so that all berries are reduced to pulp. Add 7 cups of sugar (We're just writing this; you'll decide how much chilling you want to do on the sugar). 2-3 tablespoons of lemon juice and 1 tablespoon of gelatine. Stir and bring to a boil over low heat in the kettle. Continue stirring and let stand for 1 minute. Remove from heat and add $\frac{1}{2}$ cup of liquid gelatin. Stir for five minutes to cool and prevent floating fruit. Skim off the white foam if it rises. Pour into jars and cover with $\frac{1}{4}$ inch of melted paraffin.

Help wanted, by girls who have silver and gold lapel pins that blacken cloth. Put the gadgets through a ribbon bow or a rosette before pinning to the cloth. The ribbon acts as a buffer.

We've been trying out nylon sheets for washability and found that they come out fine after dipping in mild soaps and rinsing in lukewarm water. Roll in a towel for a time and iron with a very cool iron.

You know those little notches you cut in yard goods to match the seams? Try cutting tiny notches out from the pattern instead of the fabric and you won't have so much trouble when sewing the seams up. This is especially good if the material is inclined to fray.

INDIANS REFUSE TO SIGN TREATY.

EDMONTON HOUSE, June 2

—Treaty Indians of the district have signed their yearly treaty money, but 150 natives of the Cypress River band refused to sign the treaty. Negotiations between the chief of the Indian affairs branch and Malcolm McCallum, Henry Stelfox, representative of Indian affairs; W. A. Skead, Dominion government supervisor; Eric Huestis, game commissioner for Alberta, and J. E. Push, Joseph Strawberry, chief of the Chipewyan signed the treaty, but few of his tribe could be persuaded to follow his example, for the argued that "they wished to remain as God had put them on the earth, free to roam at will." The Indian affairs representatives told them that if they would have homes and maintain their farms their land, help sickens and bad times. The Chipewyan refused.

After the ceremonies were over Henry Stelfox presented Malcolm McCallum of the Indian affairs branch, Ottawa, with a buckskin, beaded jacket, gloves and a pair of moccasins.

As Monday, June 9th is a statutory holiday, all business places in Crossfield will be closed.

\$20,000 for Municipal Roads

The Council of the Municipal District of Mountain View met with Didsbury Mayor to discuss the disposition of the capital road grant of \$20,000 made by the Department of Public Works, to which the municipality had put up an additional \$20,000 this year.

It was decided to rebuild part of the Cremona road; place gravel on the Belvoir-Crossfield road; gravel the Crossfield-Ochoco road; put in a road in Twp. 29, Rge. 28 W. 4th; resurface Didsbury West and Didsbury East roads; gravel road in Twp. 32, Rge. 2, Wsh and Olds East.

In view of the government's taking over the Cremona road as a national highway, a resolution was passed asking the Department for an additional \$5,000 grant to be used on the Cremona road.

The Churches

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION
Service, Sunday, June 1st
Evening, at 7:30 p.m.
Rev. J. M. Roe, rector.

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Britain And World Recovery

A GREAT DEAL HAS BEEN HEARD lately concerning England's difficult financial position and her apparent failure to recover quickly and completely from the effects of the war. It would almost seem that in some reports dealing with this subject, there can be detected a note of satisfaction in seeing the British people contending with what is without doubt one of the most critical periods in the history of their country. However, in spite of the adverse conditions there, many observers are confident that Britain will come through this, as she came through the seemingly hopeless months when she stood alone against the powerful and aggressive forces of Germany and Italy. Her people did not give up then, and it is unlikely that they will give up now.

If Britain had not remained firm in the early years of the war, so that she could provide the bases, and contribute her might for the invasion of Europe, it is impossible to imagine how long that continent might have remained under German control. Now, in spite of the difficulties she is experiencing in recovering economically from six years of war, Britain has been making generous financial contributions to world recovery. In the United Kingdom House of Commons Mr. Bevin recently gave figures concerning the contributions and loans made either directly or through U.N.R.R.A., to foreign countries. Contributions to U.N.R.R.A. totalled \$620,000,000, while the amount given for pre-U.N.R.R.A. European relief, excluding Germany, was \$400,000,000. France totalled \$60,000,000, also loans and grants to Greece amounted to \$60,000,000. Post-war U.N.R.R.A. relief Italy received \$220,000,000 from Britain while over \$80,000,000 was sent to Austria in loans and grants.

Contributed To Many Countries

Other financial contributions made by Britain to post-war world recovery included \$40,000,000 in loans and relief to the Netherlands; \$120,000,000 to Malta and the same amount to Burma. Hungary had received over \$20,000,000 in grants up to March 31st; while grants of \$30,000,000 went to Czechoslovakia. In addition to all this, Britain has given financial assistance to Germany amounting to \$560,000,000. The total of all the money provided by the United Kingdom for post-war recovery is 2,960 million dollars of which 1,300 million dollars are non-recoverable. Mr. Bevin pointed out that the amounts available to Britain are outstanding. While they are outstanding, the same strain on Britain's balance of payments and outward grants of similar amounts would impose at a time when there has been some criticism of Britain's present financial position it is well to be reminded of what she has contributed to the cause of freedom and to world economic recovery.

LIGHTNING BOLT KNOCKS FAMILY OUT OF BEDS

LINDSAY, Ont.—A lightning bolt knocked four members of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tobej from their beds in their home at nearby Baychapon recently. The family escaped injury.

It is believed that copper was first used about 3,500 B.C. by the Egyptians.

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Saskatchewan Hogs Shipped To N.Z.

NOKOMIS, Sask.—Six purebred Duroc Jersey hogs, raised in this central Saskatchewan district, are being shipped overseas to New Zealand where they will settle on the farm of their new owner.

The four females and two males, total weight 2,430 pounds, and all one year old, were sold by Sam Stolt and Robert Edwards of this district 60 miles north of Regina to a farmer there.

The hogs left by rail for Vancouver where they boarded the S.S. Wairuna for a seven-week voyage. They will arrive in 30 days in quarantine at a New Zealand port before they will start a 450-mile journey of their new home.

More than 1,300 pounds of feed was shipped with the hogs.

HOSPITAL BUILDINGS FOR TWO ALBERTA TOWNS

VULCAN, Alberta, is to have a \$75,000 addition to its hospital as a result of a by-law passed recently by the ratepayers. Plans are now being prepared.

A general contract has been awarded for a 34 bed hospital at Lamont, Alberta, at a price of \$175,000.

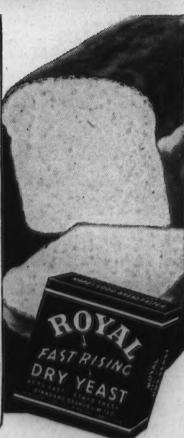
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Telephone System For Yellowknife

At Yellowknife, in the North-West Territories, a franchise has been awarded which will result in the immediate formation of the Yellowknife Telephone Company, to eliminate the great inconvenience of writing, while the use of a dial will serve the purpose. Scores of business organizations and residents of the booming frontier mining town have pledged financial aid through the purchase of shares in the new company.

The lines will weave a zig-zag pattern from a nerve-centre in Yellowknife over hundreds of miles of almost unmarked terrain, connecting up existing camps such as Glaucus Lake, Indian Lake, Gordon Lake, Prairie River, Fort Smith, (the Dalton mines), and Great Bear Lake, where radium and uranium are produced.

All of these telephones will connect up with the "outside" world by radio hook-up, much the same as that employed in ship-to-shore communications on the Great Lakes and elsewhere.

FUNNY AND OTHERWISE

Overhead on the Bus: "Are you dining anywhere tonight?" She (hopefully): "No, I'm not, Bob." "Get! You'll be hungry by morning!"

A male nurse in an insane asylum noticed a patient with his ear close to the wall, listening intently. The man held up two fingers and was warning him very quiet; then beckoned him over and said: "You listen here."

"The nurse put his car to the wall and listened for some time, then turned to the patient and said: "I can't hear anything."

"No," said the patient, "and it been like that all day."

Two married men were discussing their wives and sorrows.

"My wife," said one, "is very poetic. She gets up at sunrise and says 'Lo, the morn!'"

"Huh!" said the other, sadly. "Mine says 'Mow the lawn!'"

When the farmer saw a stranger fishing in his special stream he was very angry but his wrath faded into laughter when he noticed that the angler was fishing with a string.

Later in the day he went that way again; but he was surprised to see the basket full of fish.

"Bless my soul," he exclaimed. "You never caught all those with the carrot stick, you know."

"For goodness sake, mind your own business!"

Dinah had been having trouble with an ulcerated tooth for some time and she had given up enough courage to see a dentist. The moment he touched her tooth she screamed at the top of her lungs.

"What are you making such a racket for?" demanded the doctor. "Don't you know that I'm a painless dentist?"

"Well, sah," retorted Dinah, "mebbe yo' is painless, but ah isn't."

"I wish I could," sighed the woman, "but I feel as though as she gazed on the sign in a grocery store reading: 'Give your fat to Uncle Sam.'

"Did the voyage cure you of your insomnia?"

"Absolutely."

"Well, that must be a relief."

"It certainly is. Why, I lie awake half the night thinking how I used to suffer from it!"

Babies of the future, says a physician, will talk at a much earlier age. When tomorrow's papa visits the hospital for his first sight, junior, he's likely to be greeted with, "Hello, dad, what's cookin'?"

A very proper and careful old woman was engaging a new gardener.

"Have you a reference from your last place, my man?" she inquired.

"No, mum," replied the applicant. "They wouldn't give me one."

"Why?"

"Oh," answered the man absentmindedly. "I hit one of the warden's."

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On the day on which my wed-

ding occurred—"

"You'll pardon the correction, but affairs such as marriages, receptions, dinners and things of that sort 'take place.' It's only certain things that 'occur.' You see the distinction?"

"Yes, I see. As I was saying, the day on which my wedding occurred—"



New Locations Staked For 14 Oil Wells

CALGARY.—The promised big-scale oil exploration program in Canada's west gathered impetus when major and independent companies staked locations for 14 wells.

The list of new sites—all of which will get the go-ahead this year—includes three in the South Prince area, scene of a promising Madison lime oil discovery in 1948; one at nearby Brooks; three in the Lloydminster-Lone rock area, which equals the province's best belt for a major deposit of heavy oil; two in the virgin area south of the Mount Edouard oil discovery; and one each in Turner Valley, at Baxter Lake and at Egerton.

The great program now getting under way was further emphasized by announcements by major and independent companies of their 1947 programs.

PROTECTED IF

The bug-hopper, a tiny plant bug, protects itself from its enemies by covering a mass of bubbles about itself. The bubbles are composed of plant juice, air and wax.

Wrong Kind Of Drumstick

HOLLYWOOD.—Actress Katherine York asked \$31,200 damages recently because she got the wrong kind of drumstick when she dined in a dinner club in a night club. Miss York told the court that Drummer Cee Pee Johnson turned loose his drumstick during a particularly energetic performance and it hit her in the left eye. The suit was filed against Johnson and Billy Berg, owner of the night club.

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GEMS OF THOUGHT

CORRECTING MISTAKES

Mistakes are lessons of wisdom. The past cannot be changed. The future is yet in your power.—Hugh Whigham

Nones are too wise to be mistaken; but few are so wisely just as to acknowledge and correct their mistakes, and especially the mistakes of prejudice.—Borrow.

One should watch to know what his errors are; and if this watching destroys his peace in error, should one watch against such a result? He should not.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Be not discouraged at broken and spoiled resolutions; but to it and serve it again!—Coleridge.

A man should never be ashamed to confess his being in the wrong, which is but saying, in other words, that he is wiser today than he was yesterday.—Popé.

I shall try to correct errors when shown to be errors, and I shall adopt new views so fast as they shall appear to be true views.—Abraham Lincoln.

The custom of chaining books to stands or reading desks was very common in various parts of Europe in the 18th and 19th centuries.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Licences are again being granted for house-painting in London after a ban to save labor and materials.

Even day of the year. Councillor M. V. Vaughan places flowers on the war memorial in Horsham, England.

Walter Jacobi, former chief of the German political police in Czechoslovakia, was sentenced to death and hanged after a day's trial.

Governor Sir Geoffrey Bromet has called for an all-out effort to make Douglas, Isle of Man, as far as possible, self-supporting in food supplies.

Egyptian authorities were reported to have forbidden United States Army airmen to visit Cairo unless they had passports and wore civilian clothes.

A parrot, which imitates the voice of its master and had learned to say: "Greetings, your majesty," joined in the chorus when the Royal family visited Benoni, South Africa.

A consignment of seven head of cattle, which had been brought down from Canada, was recently shipped to New Zealand. On arrival there the cattle were sold by auction at an average price of about \$510.

According to the first estimate, the value of the fruit crop grown in Canada last year amounts to \$51,474,000. This is an increase of \$19,240,000, or 60 per cent. more than the value of the 1945 crops.

Used Automobile As Bank For Money

CHILLICOTHE, Mo.—Six days after Owner Skinner bought a second-hand automobile in Kansas City, the salesman dashed in and asked to see the machine.

He opened the trunk compartment, reached behind the card-board box and drew out a bill-fold from the hiding place.

After counting its contents, \$2,000 in currency he explained: "That was my bank. I forgot and left the money in the car."

To Feel Right — Eat Right!

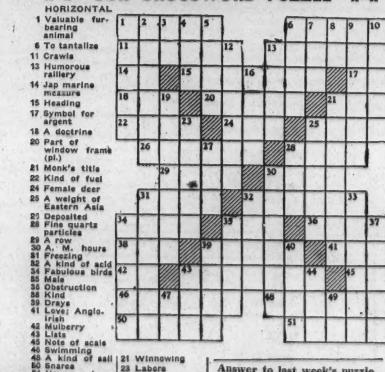
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Revision of the agreement between the United States and Canada covering air services over the international boundary has been completed and the details were announced recently by the State Department. Lester B. Pearson, Canadian secretary of state for external affairs, said the new terms are acceptable to Canada.

On the routes designated by the agreement, airlines authorized by the respective governments may operate with the right to take on and put down passengers, mail and cargo at the designated terminal of the foreign country.

Western services covered by the agreement include, for United States lines, Fargo-Winnipeg; Great Falls-Lethbridge; Spokane-Whitefish; Whitehorse; Fairbanks - Whitehorse. For airlines designated by the Canadian government the routes include Port Arthur-Duluth; Victoria-Whitehorse; Fairbanks-Banff; Winnipeg-Sault Ste. Marie; North Bay-Toronto.

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After counting its contents, \$2,000 in currency he explained: "That was my bank. I forgot and left the money in the car."

To Feel Right — Eat Right!

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GIRL SNARES TROUT-FISHING PRIZE—Youngest angler to win in Grey-Bruce trout fishing contest was Alberta McIntosh, five. Mayor E. Senator, Owen Sound, gave her prize, which usually goes to a boy.



FIND EFFECTIVE TREATMENT FOR LIVER ALIMENT

The death rate from cirrhosis of the liver, which is one of the highest, can be reduced through treatment with crude liver extract, it has been discovered by four New York physicians who treated 30 patients. The report, a survival rate over a two-year period of approximately 77 per cent.

Previous investigators, who observed a comparable number of patients with symptoms of late stages of the disease, reported a survival rate of a similar period to be approximately 45 per cent. when the patients were treated by diet and vitamins; 22 to 25 per cent. among untreated patients, and 65 per cent. for patients treated with the most refined liver extract through injection into the veins. In those treated with crude liver extract was given in the same manner.

The physicians involved—Daniel H. Labby, Robert E. Shank, Henry G. Kinney and Charles L. Hoagland, the Hospital Research Institute of the Medical Research Council of the American Medical Association.

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KNOWLEDGE FROM BIRDS

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sis, but it also may occur in total abstinence. In the group treated with crude liver had

the liver becomes cirrhotic, its cells degenerate and are replaced by scar tissue. As a result the blood vessels in the liver become constricted and the blood stagnates in them. Eventually cirrhosis causes the serum (liquid part of the blood) to ooze out of the swollen veins and to produce swelling of the abdomen. This condition, called ascites—four in the patients before treatment was begun, necessitates draining off the liquid from the abdomen. Also, the veins in the esophagus may become dilated and hemorrhage where this food passes through the stomach. Seven patients in the group had esophageal hemorrhages.

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Report Of Dangerous Cloud Is Denied

WASHINGTON—A spokesman for the Atomic Energy Commission said that it does not believe any radioactive cloud born of the Bikini atom bomb explosion is settling on the earth.

"The cloud is entirely unnatural," he said. "We do not believe any atomic cloud is floating around up there."

Editor, Dr. Irvine Rehman of the University of Southern California, denied reports he had said that a dangerous cloud from the Bikini explosion is making its sixth circuit of the earth. Rehman participated in the Bikini test.

John Howard Payne, who wrote "Home Sweet Home", never had a home of his own.

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SLEEPY LITTLE TOWN IN BELGIAN CONGO GETS URANIUM BOOST

NEW YORK—Uranium, key element in atomic bombs, has transformed sleepy little Elisabethville in the Belgian Congo into a bustling city of 20,000 with modern sidewalk cafes, the latest model cars and the newest motion pictures, reports a correspondent of the Svenska Dagbladet.

The town, together with those in Canada, are the world's prime source of the newly valuable material, and a whole new way of life has grown up in the area. Europeans, living along the broad, paved streets of Elisabethville, lead a life of comparative luxury. The climate is mild and pleasant, and after Bistany crossed the Congo to be the first white man in the area, many miners and their families followed.

Nearly 30,000 negroes, some of them imported from the primeval woods of the lower Congo, toil in the uranium, copper, cobalt and tungsten mines which cluster around Elisabethville. For a 10-hour day under the sun they get 20 francs (50 cents) plus meals and quarters.

Older and older stand-bys contribute to the wealth of Elisabethville, too. Ivory is still a valuable commodity, and everything from gold to bananas brings income to the area. Approximately 25,000 miles of tracable waterways exist in the region.

The Quality Tea

"SALADA" ORANGE PEKOE

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

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Britain Will Not Make Drive For Tourist Trade

OTTAWA.—Great Britain will make no special drive for Canadian tourists this year, the United Kingdom officials informed The Financial Post recently.

They are expecting, and will welcome about 100,000 visitors from the continent, slightly more than half the number present to last year, but that will be about all they can handle. And nothing fancy is promised. It is emphasized that conditions in Great Britain will still be pretty grim all this year, with luxuries out and even bare necessities scarce.

Visitors are warned to equip themselves with certain scarce articles before they start and to keep away from war-damaged, congested centres as much as possible. Aside from a few extras, however, they are not expected to find anything there that they need not feel they are imperiling the home supply with every bite they eat. After all, the food consumed by 100,000 visitors, it is pointed out, will be a mere drop in the bucket compared with the needs of the nation's population.

The British are most anxious to get their tourist trade established as quickly as possible, The Post was assured, as this represents a most important source of American and Canadian dollars. But the British have learned the hard way, after bearing calamities, they hope to have this back to pre-war proportions and then to expand it gradually by organized promotion. Right now, however, they are ready, if not anxious, if not, to let First building priority go to private housing with no new hotel buildings. And not all hotel damage is yet repaired. Along the south coast, as well as in London there are extensive destructions, some, of course, maintenance of furniture and other equipment was neglected.

Scotland Again Sees Loch Ness Monster

INVERNESS, Scotland.—The Loch Ness monster, a creature with a long neck and a ponderous grey body, was sighted again to-day in the water's depths, was championed by County Clerk J. W. McKillop at a county council meeting.

"I have seen it," he exclaimed, after confirming that he had entertained a certain amount of doubt prior to his actual experience.

Sir D. W. Cameron, convenor of Inverness-shire, admitted gravely he had been skeptical about the monster, but since there could be no more trustworthy witness than the county clerk, he now was convinced of its existence.

The monster first reared its head, shook a few feet of neck and a hoop or two then cut a great swath in the water, according to valuable eyewitness, in 1933. Later eyewitness accounts claim the body was anything up to four feet long.

Scientists have gone as far as saying it might be a seal or a giant eel, but British circus owner Bertram Mills hoped for more than that. In 1934, he offered \$20,000 (\$80,000) for the monster, provided it was not less than 10 feet long, 1,000 pounds in weight and proved to be of a species thus extinct.

No Nation Wants Another War

There is not one nation in the world that wants another war, major conflict on top of what has happened since 1914. The demagogues and fire-eaters to the contrary, that is a basic fact. Moreover, there is no people that would follow its leaders to war again with the memory of the last war in mind. The world is apt to remain lively for a good long while to come. Nearly every people has suffered. Nearly every people has its wounds to lick, and gaps to fill.

Victoria, B.C. Colonist.



LIONESS RUNS LOOSE IN BARRIE, ON T., BUT IS HARMLESS—Cleopatra, two-year-old lioness, ran loose during a circus in Barrie, Ont. This is the lion tamer, Ki Gor, from Lma.

After her two hours of freedom, Cleopatra is seen back in her cage. Assured there was no danger, crowd remained quiet.



Leaping over the wild animal ring, Cleopatra ran to the corner and crouched there, watched by assistants, until after the show, when she was put back in her cage. Betty Tilton, Dolly and Jeannette Trilly, performers, stand by.

PLATYPUS IS VERY STRANGE ANIMAL

Scientists Were Skeptical When They Saw First Specimen

Some very strange animal life is found in Australia, but none stranger than the platypus. The first British settlement of the land down under was only a dozen years old when a stuffed specimen of this unique animal was carried home to England in 1790. Scientists there were frankly skeptical. They thought it was a fake, contrived by some ingenious oriental mind. But when they tore it apart, they found it was really so strange that it could not be a fake. A companion bird—now cut right baby brushes swiped by grown-ups—is nice for sweeping a face clean of excess powder. If you'll use a brush, don't forget, too, that this sharp crayon of brows, after you mark your mask with your pencil.

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And, finally, a shoe brush whipped over the surface and around the bows of your slippers will keep them and you looking flower-fresh from the tip of your toes to the top of your head.

Good Grooming Through Brushing

Brushes used all the way through a grooming routine are what turn a girl out looking as fresh as rain.

Got an old mascara brush, for instance, that can be salvaged from a box of chocolates? Clean it out and use it to drag powder out of your hairline, after you put on make-up. Also use it to soften out gooseberry prickles from two-starred eye-lashes. Don't forget, too, that this brush will smudge-soften the sharp crayon of brows, after you mark your mask with your pencil.

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Royal Coaches Interest Visitors

The royal coaches are of much interest to visitors to the Royal Mews at Buckingham Palace. Others are housed at the Royal Mews in the Empire Digest. The coaches are kept in every Australian home. This is not the case at all in America, where there are many platoons as there are in any one city in the world. There are only five on display in all Australia. New Yorkers may view the three platoons in the Royal Mews at the Bronx Zoo, the platoons may view New Yorkers at the same time.

The preparations for the current move to exhibit some specimens in New York have been going on for months. Fleay can assure us that the platoons will be as most likely to settle down and be reasonable about it. He had assumed that, because of its engaging characteristics, there was probably a pat platypus in every Australian home. This is not the case at all in America, where there are many platoons as there are in any one city in the world. There are only five on display in all Australia. New Yorkers may view the three platoons in the Royal Mews at the Bronx Zoo, the platoons may view New Yorkers at the same time.

A USEFUL DEVICE

There are many people who believe that the motorist who uses a motor car should be abolished. In their place should be installed a device which will tell the motorist at a glance just how far he will have to travel before he can possibly stop his car.

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MAN'S ALLEGIANCE CAN BE CHANGED

Does Not Always Belong To Country Of Birth

Officials of the U.S. Justice Department are reportedly surprised over a slow response to an offer of return of citizenship to former Americans now residing in the United Kingdom and Canada. A year ago says the Owen Sound man that he and his wife, who had resided in England since 1919, thought there were frankly skeptical. They thought it was a fake, contrived by some ingenious oriental mind. But when they tore it apart, they found it was really so

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Prince Albert National Park

Saskatchewan

PRINCE Albert National Park, once the hunting ground of the Cree Indian and still rich in wildlife, is now one of the outstanding "playgrounds of the prairies". It is a region of a thousand lakes, large and small, most of them linked by a network of streams and narrowways which provide, with occasional portages, continuous water routes for hundreds of miles.

The park is one of the main gateways to Canada's Northland, and since the early days of the fur trade its water-highways have been travelled by hunter, trapper, and trader journeying to and from the North Country and Hudson Bay.

Unique scenic beauty and remoteness of the region placed it beyond the reach of all but the adventurous. Today Prince Albert Park is only an



Fishing at Crean Lake

hour's journey by road from the city of Prince Albert, and receives tens of thousands of visitors each year. They come not only from the surrounding prairie country, but from many other parts of Canada and the United States. More than 30,000 visitors entered the park gates during the summer of 1946.

To the natural amenities of this region have been added, since it became a national park, many recreational facilities. There are golf courses, tennis courts, bath houses, swimming and diving facilities, recreation fields, and children's playgrounds. Row-boats and out-board motors may be hired locally, and launches make daily trips up Lake Waskesiu. Its numerous lakes provide

provided periodically in this building during the tourist season.

Other camp-sites in the park are located at Halkett Lake, Hanging Heart Lake, Paington Lake, Paington Beach, Waskesiu Lake Narrows, and the Waskesiu River and its numerous Lakes. An indication of the growing popularity of camping in this park is found in the fact that during the summer of 1946 camping permits issued totalled 1,527, an increase of 1,000 over the previous year.

Wildlife in Prince Albert National Park includes many big game species, such as moose, elk, caribou, white-tailed and mule deer, and among the fur bearers are beaver, otter, muskrat, wolves, coyotes, and bears. Many species of bird life are

UNITED STATES NAVY ENVISONS NEW TYPE WARFARE

WASHINGTON.—The Navy asked Congress for \$5,580,000 to convert 15 ships for new types of warfare with emphasis on submarine and Arctic operations.

The money would be spent over three years. Of the total, \$5,030,000 would be used in the fiscal year starting this July 1. The Navy's request includes the authorization for the program, and not for the actual appropriations.

The program calls for the conversion of nine destroyers of the newest type into special anti-submarine vessels, and for the development of areas to counter a new type of under-sea warfare envisioned by the Navy. Details of the operations they would be designed to counter are of their proposed new equipment are.

It was learned at the Navy department, however, that the Navy would have all anti-submarine devices available during the Second World War plus some new ones, and that the Navy plans to operate them as a group in developing anti-submarine tactics.

They apparently would be designed to cope with high-speed, long-ranging submarines such as the Germans developed toward the close of the war.

An experienced Eskimo can build a snow house in an hour.

FLY BETWEEN VANCOUVER AND AUCKLAND IN 38½ HOURS

AUCKLAND, N.Z.—An Australian National Airways plane inaugurating the first of fortnightly southward flights to British Commonwealth Pacific Airlines arrived after a flight of 38½ hours from Vancouver.

The plane, a Douglas DC-4, brought a miniature Indian totem pole, gift of Vancouver's Mayor, Senator G. G. McGeer, to Mayor Alum of Auckland.

THE SPORT WORLD • • •

Moosebank, Sask., will enter a new baseball league with teams from Limerick, Assiniboin, Morden, Palmer and Congress. Each team will play two games a week.

Bill Price, formerly of Edmonton, has been selected as the first winner of the Gena Carrigan Memorial trophy. The trophy is awarded to the city of Edmonton's outstanding athlete of junior age. The 19-year-old boy is a student at the University of Alberta.

A five-foot, 100-pound Edmonton girl is one of the province's leading contenders for a berth on the Canadian Olympic team. Nineteen-year-old Edith Skitch already holds more than a dozen titles in track and field events, including one Dominion championship.

H. B. Stevenson and J. B. Schwab of the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht club won the Bermuda international three-race boat series. The Canadians took second honors in the opening race, and placed third and fourth in the remaining two races to take a five-point lead over a second place Bermuda team.

Three noted jockeys who won brilliant victories on prairie tracks last year are returning from south of the border for the 80-day western racing season which opens May 24. The saddle stars are Vic Bowie, who piloted 343 winners last year, Paul Bailey, who had 95 victories, and Emile Roy, whose charges came first in 10 races.

Bucky Jimmy Foxx, with 24 years in organized baseball and 527 big league home runs behind him, ended his active career recently in a lowly class B circuit far from the majors. Foxx, a native of the St. Petersburg ball park, the Florida League, carries his name from the playing roster when he paraded the personnel of his team to 15 players.

Indian Head, Sask., Rockwood, Brown Mountain, are preparing in a big way for their \$2,000 baseball tournament Aug. 6 and 7. Fourteen committees have been struck to handle the project and estimated expenses will run to \$6,000. Bleachers are being built and construction of three first class diamonds is under way. Twenty-two teams will take part in the show and special trains and buses for fans will operate.

Canada has accepted an invitation to take part in the 1948 Olympic games in Sydney, Australia, president of the Canadian Olympic association cabled the London Olympic organization from Montreal that Canada would "have much pleasure in accepting" the invitation which, he said, would give Canadian Athletes "such a wonderful opportunity of meeting the athletes of the world and particularly of your good country."

THEY WARRED ON PRICES DURING WAR

W.P.T.B. Consumer Branch Closes After

Helping Keep Prices and Supplies in Line

OTTAWA.—The official closing has been announced of the Consumer Branch of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, one of the most unusual organizations ever established and which has, during the past four years and since, played a vital part in maintaining the economic stability of Canada.

Mrs. C. H. J. Burrows of Regina has been chairman of the Women's Regional Advisory Committee for Saskatchewan since its acceptance.

Known as "the nation's shoppers," these women watched prices and quality, warned against black markets, explored shortages, taught clothing conservation, gave voluntary help in the rationing of foodstuffs.

These women worked in housing registries which found accommodation for nearly 100,000 people, and perhaps most important of all, advised the Board in formation of policy.

The present director of the branch, Mrs. René de la Duran, will continue for a further period to serve consumers generally, as well as women's organizations. Mrs. de la Duran

now becomes assistant to the chairman of the Prices Branch.

Women of the prairie provinces may well be proud of the support they have given the stabilization program. From the cities and the villages and remote hamlets, women thought of political affiliation, class or creed, they assumed the duties and obligations of sub-committee chairmen, corresponding members and liaison officers of the Consumer

Branch.

Indeed they did their work well.

They held an enviable position in the observance of Wartime Prices and Trade Board regulations. The cooperation of the women of the prairie provinces was an essential factor in its success.

Now the Consumer Branch is closing, but there must continue to be an interest among women in national economic affairs.

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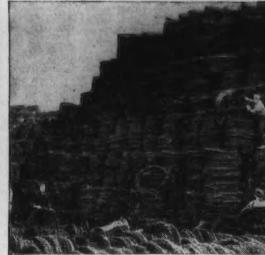
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DUTCH BAND ENTERTAINS LONDONERS—Making music in a big way is this bandsman from the Dutch aircraft carrier Karel Doorman on its London visit. The band gave a concert at Horse Guards parade.



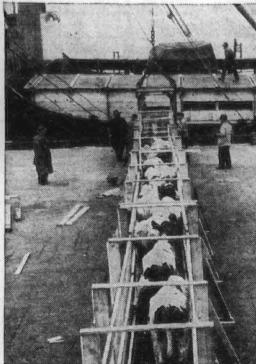
CARVES 27½-FOOT STATUE FOR MARIAN CONGRESS—Master wood carver Albert Demers is seen chiseling face of the Virgin Mary for a 27½-foot statue to adorn altar at Marian Congress in Ottawa.



BOUND FOR CANADA—German prisoners of war are sorting some of the 50,000 tons of invasion barbed wire at Taplow, Eng., which have been purchased by Canada.



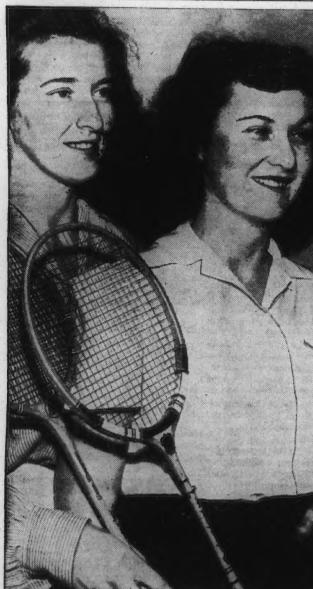
SHE GOT HER APARTMENT—Seeking an apartment in San Francisco for five months, Ray Daly, 26, finally hit on the idea of this huge billboard with her portrait and a newspaper ad. In 24 hours she had all the offers she needed.



LOADING RECORD—Something of a record for loading was made at Vancouver recently when nearly 800 head of dairy cattle were loaded aboard the Lindenwood Victory in five hours. The cattle were purchased by UNRRA for China.



GRAND CHAMPION PERCHERON STALLION—At the International Exposition at Chicago was this young stallion La Don, owned by Lynnwood Farms, Carmel, Indiana.



YOUTH FROM 60 NATIONS TO ATTEND FESTIVAL IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA—Sixty nations will be represented at World Youth Festival being held in Czechoslovakia, July 21 to Aug. 17. About 200 Canadians will attend, including Jean Burlington, Norma Wilson, Mary Cimba, (right), attractive model of Czech descent, seen in native costume. Slogan of Festival is "Through national friendship and reconstruction, youth builds peace."



"OF HUMAN BONDAGE" might well be the title of this picture of Chinese coolies, pulling an ancient plow trying to prepare their land for crops. Apparently in this heavy soil, four-manpower is scarcely equal to a team of oxen.



With their own characteristic implements the land is cultivated by hand in this scene from Central China.



WAVES HIGHER PRICES—Former partner of President Truman in his Kansas City haberdashery, Eddie Jacobson terms the price cuts by U.S. merchants answering the chief executive's recent anti-inflation plea as "ridiculous".



ONLY BRUISED BY 35-FOOT FALL—A bruised foot was the only injury suffered by Sandra Williams, 10-year-old daughter of Mrs. Mrs. Robert Williams, when she tumbled 35 feet from an open window in her Windsor home. Sandra is seen with her mother after X-rays were taken.

OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

Minerva And The Bellerina

By ELAINE FRANCIS

As a baby-sitter she certainly got around, Minerva reflected ringing the bell of the imposing LaBonn home. All types of doors had opened for her in the past few months, due to the shortage of servants, but none more interesting than the one at the door.

"Come in, my dear Miller," Tanya LaBonn cried. "You're just in time to watch me rehearse."

Minerva gaped. Not at the "Miller" which Mrs. LaBonn always called her in costume, but at Tanya's beauty. On previous occasions she had been conservatively dressed, but today her dark hair was smooth and gathered in a large bun at the nape of her neck and a minute ballet costume revealed her slender figure.

Chatting rapidly for the former Ballerina was always friendly, always informal. Tanya led the way through the spacious drawing room to the equally large sunroom striped of all its furnishings except the radio-phono and a chair strapped on which began to dance. Although Minerva had never attended a ballet in her life, she knew this was magnificent. Her thin body relaxed to the aching, haunting loveliness, and when it ended she said, "Thank you."

"Miller, you like it?" Tanya inquired. "So does Billy Dunn. He was my agent before the war and tomorrow night he brings movie scouts and big shots to our show. You know about the ballet, I mean, the dancing."

"A person would have to be dull and blind not to," Minerva replied. For the Woman's Club sponsoring the Revue had plastered the town with publicity about the Broadway stars and their talents who would cooperate to raise money for the Food for Europe drive.

"A plush, lush affair, they call it," Tanya giggled. "But it is luck for me. All those years when Don, my husband, was at war I did not have to go to work for victory. But now... Don does not mind that I became a glamor puss and go to Hollywood. He says to spread the wings before it is too late. Ah, Bonnie..." She swooped over the head and kissed her daughter.

Suddenly it seemed to Minerva that this thirteen-year-old was Tanya's child. The contrast was painful. Bonnie's mudbronde hair, the braces on her teeth, the dainty frock accentuating adolescent curves. And her face was pale and sickly. What was wrong? Where was the smile that usually transformed her appearance, showing the promise of what was to come?

It was not until late that night that Minerva learned the answer. People always confided in Minerva, once they had pierced her shabby exterior, and Bonnie was no exception. "Mother is gorgeous, isn't she?" she asked wistfully. "A cinema cliché, her agent says."

Minerva's movie going had been limited, but she agreed heartily.

"It's sedith," Bonnie cried. "But I wish she'd flop. I loved our life just as it was—now everything is spoiled. Mother gets younger every day and I feel more and more like a child."

Minerva patted the child's head. "You'll get over that," she said consolingly. "We all have our off days."

"Pat chance! The dancing teacher told me today she didn't see how I could be so awkward with such a graceful mother and two of the boys laughed."

Minerva made the first uncharitable remark of her life. "That was a wicked thing for her to say. Wicked! But tell your mother how you feel and..."

"No," Bonnie said, her wimping away hurting. "I'm sorry I mentioned it. Skip it, goodnight."

Minerva could not sleep that night, thinking of Bonnie's unhappiness. At

New Radar Device Has Been Tested

The Detroit Free Press says the highly versatile Howard Hughes has given hope that one of aviation's greatest hazards—that of collision—may be eliminated.

Press accounts do not make clear how much Hughes had to do personally with the development of the instrument. However, his prestige in flying circles makes his enthusiastic sponsorship of it important.

From the air lines' standpoint, one of the air lines' standpoints, of the detector's most attractive aspects is its light weight—only one pound. If it works in service as well as in test, air travel will be infinitely safer.



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Fashions

By ANNE ADAMS

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Expressive Word Is Seldom Used

A speaker in Toronto the other day remarked that one seldom heard the word "merry" and its associates used nowadays, and he regretted it because it is so expressive.

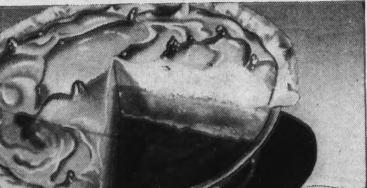
Come to think of it, the word is not often used. Perhaps it is because there isn't much to be merry about with the world in the mess that it is.

In the older books and in the dialogue of Shakespeare's characters and of other early writers it occurs frequently.

Burton, in his Anatomy of Melancholy, had men go merrily to Heaven, and asserted that wise men were merry. In Proverbs, it is said that a merry heart doeth good like a sunbeam. A saying of the gay nineties had it that a merry heart is a purse well lined. Even the lugubrious Hamlet said: "What should a man do but be merry?" and among several other admissions to be merry, Florio, in The World's Tale, says, "let's be red with mirth."

It used to be commonly said that a man was as merry as a grig, or cricket, which is a misnomer for as merry as a Greek, and a clownish fellow used to be called a "Merry Andrew." The doctor commanding from Andrew, physician to King Henry VIII in the days of "Merry England"—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

The Hudson's Bay Company was formed in 1670.



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RESEARCH INSTITUTE PLAN EXPLOSION METHOD IN FLOUR MANUFACTURE

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—The Midwest Research Institute is planning a \$100,000 pilot plant to make commercial scale tests of its new process for exploding cereal grains into flour by compressed air.

Harold Vagborg, president of the organization, called the process one which has "possibilities of revolutionizing the milling industry to the advantage of both the miller and the consumer."

Vagborg said the significance of the experiments was in the fact that preferential separation of the component parts of the grain can be obtained, and that wheat flour can be made free of the germ, something exceedingly difficult under conventional milling standards.

"We have reached the stage," he said, "where we shall need a large scale pilot plant at the institute to make commercial tests. We are pro-

posing to invest \$50,000 in equipment

to carry out the tests for two years."

He said the plant being built for

continuous process plant, with a series of explosive dissociators for

cycling and segregation processes between each so that the finished product will be flour and by-products, or combinations of both of the grain.

Wheat, oats, sorghum, and other cereal grains will be used.

C. J. Patterson, a trustee of the in-

stitute and a baking company execu-

tive, called the explosion method a process of vast importance.

"We don't know yet if it's commer-

cial feasibility in the final making of flour," he said. "It should be able to simplify many of the stages in mill-

ing and cereal processing. We do

not know yet if it will ever

be done before and it may bring lower

costs in some phases of milling."

Fails To Eat 12 Cakes, Loses Bet

CAPETOWN—Stanley Brown took a \$20-bet because he could eat only 2½ pounds of cake a sitting.

He had fancied some 2½-pound cakes he saw in a Cape Town hotel and exclaimed, "Boy I could eat a dozen of those!" The hotel manager heard the boast, proposed the bet, and pocketed his winnings when Brown arrived with the sponge after eating 10½ cakes.

Alfalfa is a herbaceous plant belonging to the clover family.

Britain's Food Outlook Better

DUNDEE—John Strachey, food minister, said there was "real hope" of ending bread rationing in Britain if this year's world wheat harvests are good.

Britain imposed a basic ration of nine ounces of bread daily for adults, with less for children and more for manual workers last July.

Strachey, speaking at a press conference, also said there was "some prospect" that world food prices would begin to decline next fall.

Cantaloupes are rich in vitamins A and C.

Three-Months-Old Child Can Stand Alone

CHICAGO—Look, no hands! Mrs. Adeline Dubish amazed members of her family when as a child of three months it was discovered that she could stand alone.

Now she has a son, Peter, born Feb. 7, who was able to stand at three months old.

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Forestry for the Farm

To help the farmers of Alberta obtain an adequate supply of trees for shade, shelter and timber, and beautification, the Alberta branch of the Canadian Forestry Association at a meeting held in Calgary recently, recommended the government to a major expansion of government nurseries. The association, of which R. D. Purdy, Calgary, is principal chairman, has been pressing upon the provincial government to increase the supply of tree seedlings available to farmers not only in the north, but under the different environments of the southern districts. The Dominion department of agriculture will also be asked to expand its tree nurseries at Indian Head and elsewhere.

Keen interest was displayed by the meeting in a proposal to encourage in the irrigation sections of Alberta the growing of local timber supplies, able to meet the needs in furnishing boxes of irrigated lands. Alberta grows it was pointed out, and may make themselves independent of imported containers, by growing trees suited to box stock purposes.

For the past two years of active work on solving the problem of the east slope watershed, the association noted with satisfaction the recent action of the Alberta government to restore the regulatory value of the watershed by a capital expenditure of six million dollars and to put the permanent engineering commission in control of the area. A committee of the forestry association was set up to help bring about a constructive "forest management" policy on all provincial forest areas.



BIG TOURIST SEASON AHEAD!

THE THOMPSONS are busy as bees, getting their place in shape for the tourist season. This year, with three more cabins, electricity and a modernized kitchen, they hope to do even better than before.

They were able to make these additions because last fall Mr. Thompson drove to town to see his bank manager. He knew about the nice little business the Thompsons had built up; a bank loan was quickly arranged.

Now the Thompsons can handle more tourists and increase their income. At the same time Canada will benefit from the extra tourist dollars they take in.

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Local Red Cross to Seek Donors for Blood Service

The crossfield district Red Cross group will be seeking donors during the week June 15th to 22 for the free blood transfusion service to the people of Alberta. By the well-known projects of the association are the "Tree Planting Club," a riverbank audit, a new travelling library throughout Alberta and the annual caravan tour, dealing with forest fire prevention, and now in the Grande Prairie Region of the province.

TEN COMMANDMENTS FOR SAFE SHOOTING

In an effort to curb the number of shooting accidents the Canadian Small Arms Association has issued the following ten commandments for safe shooting.

1. Treat every gun with the respect due a loaded gun.
2. Carry only empty guns, taken down or with the action open into your car or automobile or into a gun case.
3. Be sure that the barrel and action are always clear of obstructions.
4. Always carry your gun so you can control the direction of the muzzle if you choose.
5. Be sure of your target before you pull the trigger.
6. Never shoot at anything that you do not wish to shoot.
7. Never leave a gun unattended unless you are unloading it.
8. Never shoot at a flat surface or the surface of water.
9. Do not mix gunpowder, alcohol and gasoline.

The aim of the Red Cross is to supply and hospitals in Alberta with blood and plasma and to render services with transfusion equipment free of charge. For this service the hospitals are to agree to supply the blood free of charge to the patients.

The Red Cross group lies chiefly in the enrolment of blood donors and the week of June 15th to June 22 has been designated as "Donor Education Week" with Sunday, June 15th being termed "Blood Cross Sunday".

No actual bleeding will take place at this time, but the Provincial Red Cross group will be out on the trail in a matter of two to three months.

The only stipulation in regard to donors is that he or she be between the ages of 18 and 45 years. A donor must be in good health, and donating as fast as no longer a problem. This appeal for donors will probably go over well with experienced gunners who will be grateful for the opportunity to return a service generously supplied them during the war years.

When the travelling clinic calls the staff consists of a doctor, nurse, R.A.D.C., an administrator and the doctor will be available for consultation by anyone who feels ill or has a heart condition before accepting the service of the clinic.

In addition the group will supply all beds, sheets, pillows, etc. and a hall will be provided on which to refresh and to be on hand.

Fry himself it looks like a big evening for all lovers of Sonny Fry and his band.

Under the scheme fresh blood will be supplied the hospitals every 10 days and plasma will be made from the blood returned.

Lets' Chat Awhile

I suppose you have noticed the advertisements and heard the talk about the holiday season and it may be you yourself have given

Sonny Fry to play Olds June 13th

The Olds Agricultural Society have been fortunate in securing Sonny Fry, the Trans-Canada singer, to play for a dance here June 13th in the Ennas Auditorium.

It has been many years since the citizens of Olds have danced to the music of Sonny Fry and His orchestra in Olds, so let's look forward to this event.

The band is made up of members from 16 to 32 years of age with 4 sax men, 3 trumpets, 1 base man, 2 drummers and a piano.

Cudder Johnson is the 16-year-old bass player and is featured on all the Stan Kenton tunes. Ace and Bill Greenbank and James Stevens are the three trumpeters.

Ace plays at the famous Trocadero club in Edmonton.

Leo, Les and Saxy make up the Saxophone trio. Leo plays particularly well in the high notes, while "Dark Eyes" Les and Sayer have just joined the band and were formerly with Gerry Gage in Regina.

Charles and Bob Stevenson hold up the rhythm section. Bob is from Eastern Canada where he played with the finest. He was formerly too with Bruce Brister at the Palms hotel.

Then of course, there is Sonny Fry himself. It looks like a big evening for all lovers of Sonny Fry and his band.

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The plan of the free transfusion and plasma service has been approved by the Alberta Hospital Association and it is understood that the medical profession has accepted the plan.

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